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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Certificate of Correction for the above-identified US Patent.

Inventor Mark Li was erroneously ommited from the front page of the Letters Patent. The record shows that the Renewed Petition mailed October 11, 2002 was granted on February 7, 2003, accepting Mark Li as a non-signing inventor on the declaration. Therefore, Mark Li should be listed on the Letters Patent. A copy of the Decision on Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is enclosed.

Since the omissions occurred at the United States Patent & Trademark Office, consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE CLAIMS:

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In Claim 1, Column 6, Line 67 of the issued patent, "positions" should be --position--.

In Claim 15, Column 8, Line 13 of the issued patent, "cooperates" should be --co-operates--.

In Claim 17, Column 8, Line 19 of the issued patent, "us" should be --as--.

In Claim 18, Column 8, Line 27 of the issued patent, please insert --a-- after "release" and before "latch".

In Claim 18, Column 8, Line 28 of the issued patent, "cooperating" should be --co-operating--.

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